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The following items were adopted at the August 1, 1996, Commission meeting and released later that day.

NEWS RELEASES

**COMMISSION ADOPTS RULES TO IMPLEMENT LOCAL COMPETITION PROVISIONS OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 - CC DOCKET NO. 96-98. Action in Docket Case The Commission took action to remove statutory, regulatory, and operational barriers to local telephone services competition. In an Order adopted today, one week before the August 8 deadline, the Commission established a framework of minimum, national rules that will enable the states and the Commission to begin implementing the local competition provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.. Report No: DC 96-75. by R&O. Action by: the Commission. Adopted: August 1, 1996. (FCC No. 96-325) News Media Contact: Mindy Ginsburg (202) 418-1500. CCB Contact: Richard Welch at (202) 418-1580 or Jim Schlichting (202) 418-1520. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/News_Releases/1996/nrcc6052

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The following items are dated for and released on August 2, 1996:

NEWS RELEASES

FCC FILINGS. OMD.

FCC CALENDAR OF EVENTS. OMD.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Released: August 2, 1996. TARIFF TRANSMITTAL PUBLIC REFERENCE LOG: AUGUST 1.

Released: August 2, 1996. EX PARTE PRESENTATIONS AND POST-REPLY COMMENT PERIOD FILINGS IN NON-RESTRICTED PROCEEDINGS.

Report No: 1088. Released: August 2, 1996. CABLE TELEVISION SERVICE REGISTRATIONS; SPECIAL RELIEF AND OTHER FILINGS.

Report No: CS 96-25. Released: August 2, 1996. CABLE SERVICES ACTION - OMB APPROVES REVISED FCC FORM 1205. (DA No. 96-1216). Contact: Tim Bellamy or Alex Byron at (202) 418-7200. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Public_Notices/1996/da961216.txt

Report No: CS 96-26. Released: August 2, 1996. CABLE SERVICES ACTION - FOURTH QUARTER 1995 AND FIRST QUARTER 1996 INFLATION FIGURES FOR CABLE OPERATORS USING FORM 1240 NOW AVAILABLE. (DA No. 96-1217). News Media Contact: Morgan Broman (202) 418-2358. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Cable/Public_Notices/1996/da961217.txt

Report No: I-8193. Released: August 2, 1996. OVERSEAS COMMON CARRIER SECTION 214 APPLICATION ACTIONS TAKEN. (DA No. 96-1221).

Released: August 2, 1996. WRC-97 ADVISORY COMMITTEE AUGUST MEETINGS OF INFORMAL WORKING GROUPS. Contact: Crystal Foster at (202) 418-0749.

Report No: 286. Released: August 2, 1996. MASS MEDIA BUREAU CALL SIGN ACTIONS.

Report No: 23794. Released: August 2, 1996. BROADCAST APPLICATIONS.

Report No: 43794. Released: August 2, 1996. BROADCAST ACTIONS.

Report No: A-205. Released: August 2, 1996. AM BROADCAST APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING AND NOTIFICATION OF SEPTEMBER 3 CUT-OFF DATE.

Report No: A-299. Released: August 2, 1996. NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL FM BROADCAST APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING AND NOTIFICATION OF SEPTEMBER 5 CUT-OFF DATE.

Released: August 2, 1996. FARMINGTON, GRASS VALLEY, JACKSON, LINDEN, PLACERVILLE AND FAIR OAKS, CA/CARSON CITY AND SUN VALLEY, NV. - SECOND ERRATUM.to Second R&O [DA 96-1109] released July 12 allotting Channel 233C2 to Sun Valley, NV, to correct the filing window dates. The filing window will open August 29, closes September 30. (DA No. 96-1215). Dkt No.: MM- 90-189.

Report No: D-868. Released: August 2, 1996. MASS MEDIA BUREAU PREPARED TO ISSUE MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE BTA AUTHORIZATIONS. Contact: Charles Dziedzic at (202) 418-1600, Sharon Bertelsen at (202) 418-7057 or Nazifa Naim at (202) 418-7059.

Released: August 2, 1996. NOTICE OF PROHIBITED PRESENTATIONS.

Report No: 1859. Released: August 2, 1996. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU. July 22 through July 26. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1996/pnwl6006

Report No: LB-96-40. Released: August 2, 1996. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU COMMERCIAL WIRELESS SERVICE INFORMATION.

Report No: CL-96-60. Released: August 2, 1996. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU COMMERCIAL RADIO SERVICE INFORMATION. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Public_Notices/1996/pnwl6074

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CLIFTON, TN. Proposed allotting Channel 293A to Clifton, TN, as its first FM service. Comments are due September 23, replies October 8. Dkt No.: MM- 96-163. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 26, 1996. by Report. MMB

MACOMB, IL. Effective September 16, Allotted Channel 240A to Macomb as its third FM service. Dkt No.: MM- 96-87. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 26, 1996. by R&O. (DA No. 96-1186). MMB

PARKER, AZ. Proposed allotting Channel 230C3 to Parker, AZ, as its second FM service. Comments are due September 23, replies October 8. Dkt No.: MM- 96-164. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 26, 1996. by NPRM. (DA No. 96-1188). MMB

BURLINGTON, CO/BREWSTER, KS. Allotted Channel 257C1 to Burlington, CO. Dkt No.: MM- 94-134. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 19, 1996. by R&O. (DA No. 96-1151). MMB

CARLISLE, IRVINE AND MOREHEAD, KY. Proposed substituting Channel 221C3 for Channel 264A at Carlisle; substituting Channel 265C3 for Channel 291A at Irvine; substituting Channel 291C3 for Channel 221A at Morehead; and modifying the licenses of WCAK(FM), Carlisle; WCYO(FM), Irvine; and WMOR(FM), Morehead. Comments are due September 23, replies October 8. Dkt No.: MM- 96-161. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 26, 1996. (DA No. 96-1185). MMB

LLANO AND MARBLE FALLS, TX. Proposed substituting Channel 285C3; relotting Channel 285C3 from Llano to Marble Falls, TX; and modifying the license to specify Marble Falls as Station KLKM(FM)'s community of license. Comments are due September 23, replies October 8. Dkt No.: MM- 95-49. Action by Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau. Adopted: July 26, 1996. by NPRM. (FCC No. 96-315). (DA No. 96-1198). MMB

GUIDELINES FOR EVALUATING THE ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF RADIOFREQUENCY RADIATION. OET Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering_Technology/Orders/1996/fcc96326

AUTOMATED MARITIME TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OPERATIONS. Permitted the shared use of the 216-217 MHz band, on a secondary, non-interference basis, for a new Low Power Radio Service to include auditory assistance devices, health care assistance devices, and law enforcement tracking systems. Dkt No.: WT- 95-96. Action by the Commission. Adopted: July 25, 1996. by R&O. (FCC No. 96-315). WTB Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1996/fcc96315.txt>

ADDENDA: The following items, released August 1, 1996, did not appear in Digest No. 142:

NEWS RELEASES

STATEMENT OF CHAIRMAN REED HUNDT REGARDING THE NOMINATION OF REGINA KEENEY TO THE FCC. Hundt. Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Speeches/Hundt/st080296>

STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER JAMES H. QUELLO IN RE NOMINATION OF REGINA KEENEY. Quello.

STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER SUSAN NESS REGARDING THE NOMINATION OF REGINA KEENEY TO THE FCC. Ness. Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Speeches/Ness/States/080296>

STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER RACHELLE CHONG IN RE NOMINATION OF REGINA KEENEY.
CMMR. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Speeches/Chong/separate_statements/080296

****FCC UPDATES ITS GUIDELINES FOR EVALUATING THE ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF
RADIOFREQUENCY EMISSIONS;ACTION IMPLEMENTS TELECOM ACT PROVISIONS - ET DOCKET
NO. 93-62. Report No: DC 96-76. by R&O. Action by: the Commission. (FCC No. 96-326) News Media
Contact: Rochelle Cohen (202) 418-0500. OET Contact: Office of Engineering and Technology contact:
Radiofrequency Safety Program and specifically Robert Cleveland at (202) 418-2464; Wireless
Telecommunications Bureau contact: David Wye at (202) 418-0600. Internet URL:
https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering_Technology/News_Releases/1996/nret6010.txt**

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PITTSBURGH, PA. Denied petition and concluded that the public interest would not be served by removing the noncommercial reservation from Channel *16 at Pittsburgh, PA. Action by the Commission. Adopted: July 24, 1996. by MO&O. (FCC No. 96-314). MMB Internet URL:
https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Mass_Media/Orders/1996/fcc96314.txt

ADDENDA: The following items, released July 31, 1996, did not appear in Digest No. 141:

PUBLIC NOTICES

Released: July 31, 1996. ADDENDUM: TARIFF TRANSMITTAL PUBLIC REFERENCE LOG: JULY 30.